

amended most recently at 58 FR 36693, July 8, 1993).

These changes will provide the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) with direct responsibility for their field programs and associated resources by formalizing and redirecting field responsibilities. Responsibility and resources in the Regional Offices for facilities and construction engineering activities related to the Indian Health Service will be redirected to the Indian Health Service. Additionally, the responsibility and resources in the Regional Offices for facilities and construction engineering activities currently supported by HRSA will be redirected to HRSA. Although, the changes will not affect Chapter HC, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), by way of this Federal Register notice the Division of Preventive Health Services in the PHS Regional Offices is deleted.

#### Health Resources and Services Administration

*Under Chapter HB, Health Resources and Services Administration, Section HB-10, Organization and Functions,* amend the functional statements as indicated below:

*Under the Office of the Administrator (HBA1),* delete the "and" preceding item (3), add an "and", and add a new item (4) as follows:

(4) serves as the HRSA focal point for activities pertaining to field coordination.

#### Public Health Service Regional Offices

*Under Chapter HD, Public Health Service (PHS) Regional Offices,* delete the title Public Health Service (PHS) Regional Offices and substitute the following:

#### Office of the Regional Health Administrator (HD)

*Under Section HD-00 Mission,* delete the statement in its entirety and substitute the following:

*Section HD-00 Mission.* The Office of the Regional Health Administrator supports the PHS mission of improving the health of the Nation's population by assuring a coordinated regional effort in support of national health policies and State and local needs within each region.

*Under Section HD-10, Organization and Functions,* delete the statement in its entirety and substitute the following:

*Section HD-10 Organization.* The Office of the Regional Health Administrator (HD1-HDX).

*Under Section HD-20, Functions. Public Health Service (PHS) Regional Offices (HD1-HDX)*

(a) Delete the statement *Public Health Service (PHS) Regional Offices (HD1-HDX) in its entirety and substitute the following:*

*Office of the Regional Health Administrator (HD1-HDX).* The Office of the Regional Health Administrator is headed by the Regional Health Administrator (RHA) who serves as the regional field representative of the Assistant Secretary for Health (ASH) who: (1) Conducts support activities as the senior public health official in the region, providing liaison with State, Territorial, and local health officials and private and professional organizations; (2) directs the staff of the Office of Women's Health, the Office of Minority Health and directs and coordinates regional implementation of family planning programs and related activities; (3) provides input from regional, State, and local perspectives to assist ASH and PHS agencies in the formulation, development, analysis, and evaluation of PHS field programs and initiatives; (4) assists with the implementation of PHS programs in the regions by supporting the coordination of activities, alerting program officials of potential issues, and assessing the effectiveness of programs for purposes of identifying opportunities for improving policies and service delivery systems; (5) serves as the focal point for PHS regional emergency preparedness activities; (6) acts as liaison to provide regional administrative support services to PHS field components, as appropriate, and provides advice and assistance upon request to ASH and PHS agencies regarding personnel and other administrative matters affecting field staff; (7) works with the Regional Directors and regional representatives of other Federal agencies; and (8) at the direction of ASH, or at the request of a PHS Agency Head, operates special programs in one or more regions.

(b) Delete the following functional statements in their entirety:

*Office of Engineering Services (HD2E, HD6E and HDXE)*

*Division of Federal Employee Occupational Health (HD1H-X)*

*Division of Community Health Services (HD4C)*

*Division of Family Health and Resources Development (HD3R-4R)*

*Division of Health Services Delivery (HD1V-HD3V and HD5V-XV)*

*Division of Preventive Health Services (HD1U-HDXU)*

*Division of Health Resources Development (HD1W-2W and HD5W-XW)*

#### Delegations of Authority

*Under Chapter HD, Regional Offices, Section HD-30, Delegations of Authority.*

All authorities delegated to officials in the PHS Regional Offices will continue in effect in them or their successors pending further redelegations, provided they are consistent with this reorganization.

#### Indian Health Service

*Under Chapter HG, Indian Health Service, Section HG-20 Functions,* following the title for the Office of Environmental Health and Engineering (HGA6) at the end of item (3) add a comma after Engineering and the following:

"including providing total architectural/engineering/contracting services;"

This reorganization is effective upon date of signature.

Dated: September 7, 1995.

Philip R. Lee,

Assistant Secretary for Health.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

### Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner

[Docket No. FR-3917-N-21]

#### Notice of Proposed Information Collection for Public Comment

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information collection requirement described below will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for

review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

**DATES:** Comments due: November 17, 1995.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: Oliver Walker, Housing, Department of Housing & Urban Development, 451—7th Street, SW, Room 9116, Washington, DC 20410.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Oliver Walker, Telephone number (202) 708-1694 (this is not a toll-free number) for copies of the proposed forms and other available documents.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department will submit the proposed information collection to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended).

The Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affecting agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

**Title of Proposal:** Section 8 Housing Assistance Payment (HAP) Contract, Part II.

**OMB Control Number:** 2502-0409.

**Description of the need for the information and proposed use:** The Secretary of HUD, according to Multifamily Housing Property Disposition (MFPD) Reform Act of 1994 (section 203(e)(1)), is authorized under certain circumstances to enter into contracts under Section 8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937, with owners of multifamily housing projects. 24 CFR 886, Subpart C authorizes the use of the Housing Assistance Payment (HAP) contract, Part II as the administrative mechanism to provide Section 8

housing assistance to purchasers of HUD-owned and foreclosure sale multifamily projects. The HAP Contract, Part II (HUD-52522-D) is a legal document, which as the administrative mechanism to provide Section 8 housing assistance from the Federal Government to the owner, commits the owner to HUD regulations and procedures governing the purpose and use of Section 8 assistance funds.

**Agency form numbers:** HUD-52522-D.

**Members of affected public:** Property Owners and Property Management Agents.

An estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection is 22,824, the number of respondents is 729, frequency of response is 1, and the hours of response is 2,597.

**Status of the proposed information collection:** Extension with change.

Authority: Section 3506 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: September 8, 1995.

Nicolas P. Retsinas,

*A/S Secretary for Housing-Federal Housing Commissioner.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

#### Notice of Availability of a Draft Recovery Plan for the Madison Cave Isopod for Review and Comment

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of document availability.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service announces the availability for public review of a draft Recovery Plan for the Madison Cave Isopod (*Antrolana lira*). The Madison Cave Isopod is a subterranean freshwater crustacean endemic to the Shenandoah Valley in Virginia. The species was listed as threatened in November 1982 due to its extremely limited distribution and threats to the quality of its deep karst habitat. The objective of the proposed Recovery Plan is to protect Madison Cave isopod populations by conserving its groundwater habitat, thereby enabling its removal from the Federal list of endangered and threatened wildlife and plants. To accomplish this, the draft Plan recommends recovery activities that should continue or be initiated. If the Recovery Plan is successfully implemented, full recovery

may be achieved by 2005. The Service solicits review and comment from the public on this draft Plan.

**DATES:** Comments on the draft Recovery Plan must be received December 18, 1995 to receive consideration by the Service.

**ADDRESSES:** Persons wishing to review the draft Recovery Plan can obtain a copy from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Chesapeake Bay Field Office, 177 Admiral Cochrane Drive, Annapolis, Maryland 21401, telephone 410/573-4537 and fax 410/269-0832. Comments should be sent to the same address, to the attention of G. Andrew Moser.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** G. Andrew Moser at 410/573-4537 (see **ADDRESSES**).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

Restoring an endangered or threatened animal or plant to the point where it is again a secure, self-sustaining member of its ecosystem is a primary goal of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's endangered species program. To help guide the recovery effort, the Service is working to prepare Recovery Plans for most of the listed species native to the United States. Recovery Plans describe actions considered necessary for conservation of the species, establish criteria for the recovery levels for downlisting or delisting them, and estimate time and cost for implementing the recovery measures needed.

The Endangered Species Act of 1973 (Act), as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.) requires the development of Recovery Plans for listed species unless such a Plan would not promote the conservation of a particular species. Section 4(f) of the Act, as amended in 1988, requires that public notice and an opportunity for public review and comment be provided during Recovery Plan development. The Service will consider all information presented during a public comment period prior to approval of each new or revised Recovery Plan. The Service and other Federal agencies will also take these comments into account in the course of implementing Recovery Plans.

The document submitted for review is the draft Madison Cave Isopod (*Antrolana lira*) Recovery Plan. The Madison Cave isopod is a subterranean crustacean endemic to the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia. This monotypic genus is the only freshwater member of the family Cirolanidae found north of Texas. Until 1990, *A. lira* was known only from two sites, Madison Saltpetre